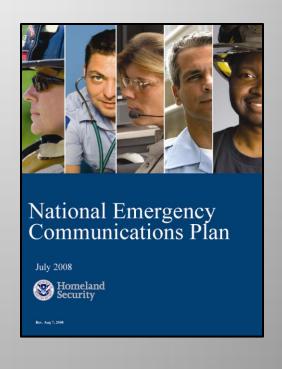
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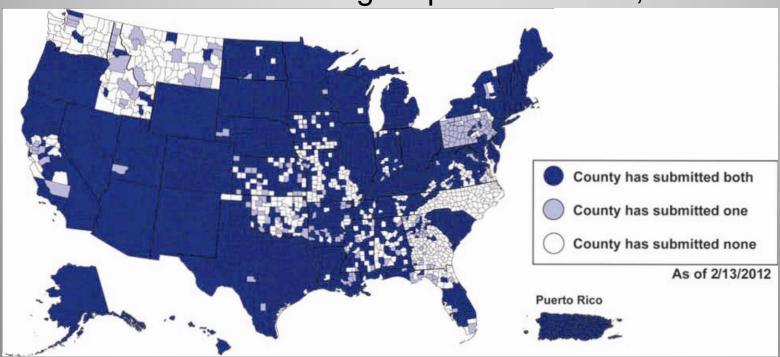
- Dept. of Homeland Security's Office of Emergency Communications (OEC) vision for emergency communications in the US.
- "By 2011, 75 percent of all non-urban jurisdictions are able to demonstrate response-level emergency communications within one hour for routine events involving multiple jurisdictions and agencies."





## **NECP Goal # 2 Reporting Status for MT**

- Data was supposed to be submitted in the fall of 2011.
- Two reports required:
  - Communications Capabilities
  - Performance Data
- Here is a national tracking map from Feb. 13, 2012:



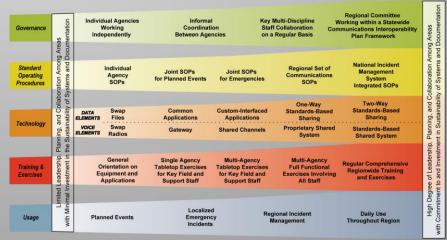




# Consequences

- OEC provides direct support to state, local, and tribal emergency responders and government officials via its Technical Assistance program in the form of:
  - Training
  - Tools
  - Onsite assistance
- TA support covers all five lanes of the SAFECOM Interoperability Continuum

  Interoperability Continuum
- Montana's access to OEC-sponsored TA was in jeopardy if it did not submit a plan for increasing county reporting.







# Montana Plan for Obtaining Remaining Reports

#### • Awareness:

- Building awareness of need via Heard Across Montana (HAM), a bi-weekly electronic newsletter.
- Leveraging with Statewide Interoperability Governing Board (SIGB).
- Information and forms on PSSB website.

#### Outreach and Recognition:

- Working with Montana Disaster and Emergency Services (DES) regional staff and local representatives
- Leveraging with narrowbanding and statewide planning contacts.
- Recognizing accomplishments in the HAM and other vehicles.





# Montana Plan for Obtaining Remaining Reports

#### Training:

 Conducting four workshops around the state with OEC assistance

#### • Executive Appeal:

Elevation to state and county leadership with a minimum of a 75% compliance goal.

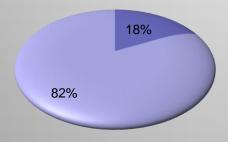




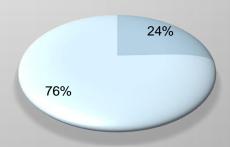
# Status of NECP Goal # 2 Reporting

- Results since April 13, 2012:
  - 67% increase in Performance Data Reporting
  - 30% increase in Capabilities Reporting

#### **Performance**



#### **Capabilities**



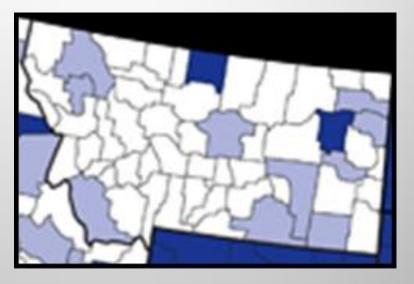
- Still have a ways to go:
  - 39 more capability reports
  - 44 more performance reports
- Challenge: Local reporting agencies are autonomous



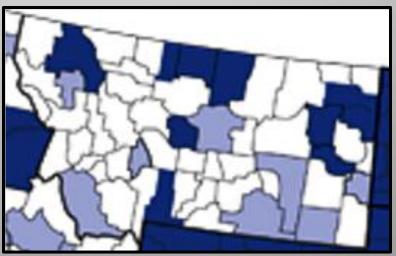


## **Comparison Tracking Maps - Montana**

• As of Feb. 13, 2012



• As of May 1, 2012:







# **Ideas for Increasing Reporting**

 Your assistance in promoting reporting would be appreciated.

 We welcome your ideas for increasing reporting from counties.





# **Ideas - Questions?**



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